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5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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8 PAMELA LEE,  
9 Plaintiff,  
10 v.  
11 KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN  
12 LONG TERM DISABILITY PLAN,  
13 Defendant.  
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No. C 09-02176 SI

**ORDER EXTENDING BRIEFING  
SCHEDULE AND CONTINUING  
HEARING ON MOTIONS FOR  
SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

**[Docket No. 30]**

15 Defendant has filed a motion seeking extension of the briefing schedule and continuance of the  
16 hearing date on the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment. Plaintiff does not oppose an  
17 extension, but expresses concern that the discovery process will not proceed smoothly in the intervening  
18 time without guidelines from the Court.

19 Accordingly, the Court hereby rules as follows:

20 1. The current briefing schedule and hearing date for the parties' cross-motions for  
21 summary judgment are hereby VACATED. **Oral argument on the parties' cross-**  
**motions for summary judgment will be heard on Friday, June 25, 2010, and the**  
**briefing schedule is extended accordingly.**

22 2. Defendant must respond to all discovery propounded by plaintiff within **20 days**. In the  
23 event defendant asserts an objection, the parties must meet and confer to resolve their  
24 dispute, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 37 and Local Rule 37. If the parties are unable to  
25 resolve their dispute after good faith efforts to do so, plaintiff may file a motion to  
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1 compel in compliance with the Local Rules and the Court's standing order.  
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3 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

4 Dated: February 1, 2010



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SUSAN ILLSTON  
6 United States District Judge  
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